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1. ADDRESSEES AWARE CURRENT PUBLICITY ON KLAUS
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BARBIE, FORMER OFFICIAL IN GESTAPO LYON WHO ALLEGEDLY
 RESPONSIBLE FOR DEATH OF RESISTANCE HERO JEAN MOULIN.
 ALLEGEDLY HE CURRENTLY LIVING IN BOLIVIA UNDER ALIAS AND
 CONSIDERATION APPARENTLY BEING GIVEN TO REQUEST BY FRENCH
 GOVT FOR HIS EXTRADITION. CASE RECEIVING BIG PLAY FRENCH
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2. ON 5 FEB "LE FIGARO" CARRIED STORY OF PROTECTION
 AFFORDED BARBIE BY U.S. AUTHORITIES AND THEIR ASSIST-
 ANCE IN HELPING HIM EMIGRATE TO SOUTH AMERICA UNDER FALSE
 NAME, ETC. THIS SAME STORY AROSE PARIS FEW YEARS AGO AT
 WHICH TIME [] REQUESTED AND RECEIVED BACKGROUND ON
 BARBIE AND U.S. INVOLVEMENT WHICH USED TO BE BRIEF KEY
 EMBASSY OFFICIALS. SUSPECT THIS MAY BE REQUIRED AGAIN
 BUT WE HAVE DESTROYED FILE. WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING
 SIMILAR, BRIEF SUMMARY FOR USE IN EVENT THIS BECOMES NECESSARY.

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